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VIA FACSIMILE U.S. MAIL

Mazin M. Enwiya
Remedial Project Manager
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region 5
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60604

Re: Ellsworth Industrial Park Superfund Site

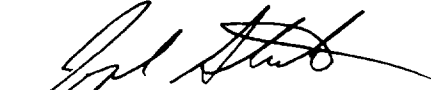
Dear Mazin:

I am in receipt of your letter dated July 29, 2003, addressed to our client Bison Gear & Engineering Corporation, requesting consent to access property located at 2424 Wisconsin Avenue, Downers Grove, Illinois.

Please be advised that Bison was a tenant at the subject property until 1997. Bison has no current interest in the real property, and is unable to give the USEPA authority to enter that property for any purpose.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Very truly yours,



Joseph A. Strubbe

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cc: Thomas J. Krueger

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